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Subject: RE: Hunters Point Buildings Radiological Rework discussion

Last week, the Navy changed course on the evaluation of the Hunters Point Naval Shipyard radiological building remediation goals. We had been expecting a Navy proposal to conduct a more sensitive radiological scan of one or more Hunters Point buildings, as described by the Navy in our March 29 Region 9-State-Navy meeting.

Instead, the Navy re-ran RESRAD BUILD with modified inputs and assumptions which attempt to respond to concerns first identified by the Region last August. We are evaluating the Navy's modified runs, and plan to discuss with the Navy tomorrow and again next week.

We hope to complete our review of last week's Navy submittal the week of 5/10. Please let me or Yolanda or John know if you have any questions or concerns.

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On March 29, 2021, EPA, the Navy, and the state (CDPH and DTSC) met to discuss a protective remedy for the current, onsite buildings for the Hunters Point Naval Shipyard site. We wanted to provide you a brief update.

The main takeaway/next step from the discussion: The Navy will provide a written proposal to start collecting radiological data at buildings achieving detection limits lower than what the current Parcel G work plan requires. This proposal may outline an approach for the Navy to collect data from one potentially radiologically impacted building and one that is unimpacted. This proposal may also include options for the Navy to send the swipe samples to the laboratory. The Navy anticipates this fieldwork will take 3-6 months.

Other points of the discussion touched on:

- the CDPH effort to achieve low detection limits for the dust swipe sampling work at Parcel A.

- public scrutiny of using onsite locations to determine background and a mention to consider collecting data from on offsite buildings.
- rerunning RESRAD BUILD with different inputs on ingestion rates and using the walls of the buildings. (The Navy suggested there were some accommodations that could be made for slope factors within RRB, but the Navy pushed back on adjusting the ingestion rates.)

In addition, EPA requested the Navy determine how it would make the information in such a proposal publicly available. We also stated the Navy will need to demonstrate the process will be consistent with the policies and practices under CERCLA/NCP.

If you have any concerns with the information, please call Angeles, John, Wayne or I.

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Hi Yolanda! Sorry for my late response. The talking points/Q&A document looks good and I have no comments or concerns. Many thanks for sharing this with us, and good luck to Enrique and Wayne for the upcoming meeting with Navy BRAC.

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On Mar 24, 2021, at 9:12 PM, Sanchez, Yolanda <Sanchez.Yolanda@epa.gov> wrote:

Colleagues at OSRTI, FFRRO, and FEO,

Next Monday (3/29), Enrique is meeting with the Navy and the state to discuss the Navy's latest evaluation of the radiological remediation goals (RGs) for buildings. Wayne will accompany Enrique and each of the other principals will also bring someone from their staff.

Enrique asked me to share our draft internal talking points and Qs & As we are preparing. We appreciate Stuart and Mary reviewing earlier versions of this document. I hope you have time on Thursday to review again. If you have any concerns with the information, please call Angeles, John, Wayne or I. At this point a conversation would be more beneficial than direct edits to the document.

Thank you,

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